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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Happenings of Interest Both General and Personal Gathered Around Town.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Joseph Rothwell, of Alexandria, and Ann Jane Anderson, of Dumfries, Va.

Powell Frank Miller has arrived safely overseas according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Eliza Miller, 120 North Payne street.

Lieut. Col. Alexander Murray, U. S. A., formerly of this city, who has been recently stationed at San Diego, Cal., visited relatives here yesterday whle enroute to New York.

At the Second Presbyterian Church tomorrow order of services: Sunday School at 9:30; service, 11 a. m., and preachng by Rev. Dr. Ralph K. Hickok of the War Work Council, Y. M. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Smoot, of North Wilkesboro, N. C., are spending the week-end with Mrs. Smoots' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Uhler, at their home in North Washington street.

Captain and Mrs. Hellwege, of the Salvation Army, today expressed themselves as deeply grateful to those who made yesterday's outing of children at Marshall Hall a big s uccess. There were 155 children on the trip and there was plenty of everything to satisfy their appetites.

Twenty drafted men entrained at 2:17 o'clock this afternoon for the University grounds, Charlottesville, where they will take up special training. All but one were from the 1918 class of registrants.

A service flag containing forty-one stars, representing that number of members of the order who have responded to the call to the colors, was unfurled last night by Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons. Addresses were made by Col. W. C. Shelley, Alexandria county, Chester A. Gwynn and J. H. Trimyer.

The many friends of Mr. John Langley of North Royal street, will be glad to know that he is able to be out again after several weeks illness of typhoid fever.

Miss Mary Benson and Miss Rosa Baader left Thursday for Philadelphia to visit Mr. Edward Benson, brother of Miss Benson.

The big ditch west of the National Cemetery, which was a breeding place for mosquitoes and other insects, has just been thoroughly cleaned by the chain gang under the supervision of James B. Martin, superintendent of that gang, at the direction of City Engineer E. C. Dunn.

Mrs. Ellis Evans has gone to Petersburg, Va., to join her husband, Private Ellis Evans, who is stationed at Camp Lee.

A letter received today from Corporal W. H. Barnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnett, announces his safe arrival in France.

Five carloads of exhibits of the army, navy, marine corps and also agricultural, prepared in this city, have been shipped this week to various fairs throughout the country. Six additonal carloads will be shipped during the coming week it is expected.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Parish will meet on Monday next at 10:30 a. m., at the residence of Mrs. George T. Kleipstein, 607 Prince street.

The Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will take for his subject at the morning service tomorrow "The Parable Manna." Evening theme will be "The Seekers of Happiness."

DEATHS

RUDD—Entered into rest August 2, 1918, at 1:30 a. m., PEARL, wife of Harry W. Rudd, at her residence, 125 South Fairfax street. Funeral Sunday afternoon August 4th, at 3:30 o'clock from the Second Presbyterian Church. Friends invited. Interment private, Washington papers please copy.

TODAY'S CITY MARKET

Many Sellers And Buyers Attend, But Prices Remain at High-Water Mark.

The market area this morning was a beehive. The attendance of country people was larger than usual, while the number of buyers was also large. It was a veritable mid-summer market, vegetables being in profusion, while much seasonable fruit was exhibited. Prices, however, were high, and it was a common observation that housekeepers need not carry large baskets, but large pocketbooks were necessary.

Butter and eggs were firmly held at 50 and 55 cents per pound for the former, and the same figures per dozen for the latter. There were no indications of variableness nor shadow of turning, and those desiring these essentials were compelled to pay the prices or leave without them.

Chickens were scarce and prices were akin to those in Ladysmith during the Boer war. The specimens of the feathery tribe exposed for sale were held at 50 cents per pound.

Huckleberries sold at 20 cents per quart. Blackberries were held at the same figures. Peaches brought 30 cents per basket for small specimens, and 50 cents for the larger varities. Small cantaloupes brought 12 1-2 each.

Prices of vegetables were as follows: Cabbage 5c up; sweet potatoes 30c per quarter peck; Irish 15c; tomatoes 15c per quarter peck; cucumbers 5c each; green peppers 1c each; beets 5c er bunch; cymlins 3c each ; string beans 15c per quarter peck; lettuce 5 and 8c per head; egg plants 10 and 12c each; corn 40 and 50c per dozen; lima beans 35 and 40c per quart.

EVANGELIST HALL AT CHRIST CHURCH TOMORROW; OPEN-AIR SERVICE AT 5 P. M.

In most churches there is generally a relaxation from work during the summer, especially during August, but Christ Church, though old in years is young in vitality. During the absence of the rector, the wardens have arranged an interesting series of services for the four Sundays in August and the first in September. This series will be opened tomorrow by the Rev. J. J. D. Hall, of Galilee Mission, Philadelphia, who is so well and favorably known to many Alexandrians, having conducted services here on several occasions. Mr. Hall will address the Men's Bible Class in the church at 9:30 a. m. and will conduct the 11 o'clock service, preach and administer the holy communion.

Sunday school will be held, as usual, in the Parish hall at 9:30. Following a custom of twenty years standing of having special lessons during August, Edward S. Leadbeater will be the leader, his subject being "The Church Year."

As will be seen by the advertisement in another column, a popular people's open-air service will be held in the church yard at 5 o'clock, weather permitting, at which Rev. Hall will preach. If inclement, the service will be held in the church. A song service will be a feature of these open-air meetings and as they are to be popular in character only hymns that all know and love will be sung, the accompaniment being organ, cornet and trombone. Preceding this service an organ recital will be held in the church at which Mrs. Charles L. Lennon will preside, and solos will be sung by Mrs. George Pickett.

A cordial invitation to attend all of these services is extended by the wardens, vestry and congregation of Christ Church to men in uniform, our new citizens, visitors and residents of long standing. Seats will be provided for all, in the yard as well as in the church, there being no rented pews in this church.

It may be of interest to the strangers in our community to know that at these services the old Bible, printed in 1772, formerly belonging to Gen. Washington and presented to the church in 1804 by Mrs. Washington's grandson and the General's adopted son, George Washington Parke Custis, will be used; also the old Prayer Book, which was used regularly while the church was under the pastoral care of the Bishop of London. This prayer book contains prayers for the King of England and other members of the royal family, but when the colonies separated from the mother country these were stricken out and prayers for the President of the United States and Congress substituted. The old alms basins will be used; these were once stolen and when found to be sheffield plate were bent and thrown aside, later recovered and returned to the church. They have recently been put into shape so that they could be used and even now show the marks of the vandal. A facsimile of the old collection bag used before these basins were procured will als obe used. This served the double purpose of rceiving the offerings of the congregation and in the hands of a watchful vestryman the means of waking drowsy worshippers.

AMUSEMENTS

RICHMOND—Fannie Ward and a noted cast in the dramatic feature of the age, "The Yellow Ticket," adopted for the screen by Pathe from the famous A. H. Woods stage success of the same name, will be seen at the Richmond Theater tonight. "The Yellow Ticket" is a scathing denunciation of Russian Secret Police methods used in persecuting the Jews and the story deals with the way in which they tak advantage of their position in dealing with beautiful and defenseless girls of that race. It abounds in thrills and the story has been endorsed and praised by the leading educators, editors, and public officials of the United States for its wonderful moral lesson.

SURPRISE—Henry B. Walthall's Paralta Play, "Humdrum Brown," a comedy drama from the pens of M. H. and H. B. Daniel, will be shown at the Surprise Theater tonight. The story, which is replete with tense dramatic scenes and humorous incidents, is laid for the most part in Norwalk, a small inland town, unprogressive and offering no advantages to those who populate it. Mr. Walthall portrays the part of "Humdrum Brown," a man in the early thirties who has been plodding along for years in the ruts of those who were small town characters before him.

GRAND—Tom Mix in William Fox's "Six Shooter Andy," will be seen at the Grand Theater on Monday. This is a splendid picture of western mining life back in the fifties. It has much of the rugged life of those times and some of the romance. Mix makes a peppery hero. He is a wonderful rider and is as quick as chain-lightning with his gun.

Miss Anne Martin, former president of the National Woman's Party, filed her petition as an independent candidate for United States Senator from Nevada, with the secretary of state Thursday. Miss Martin's petition was signed by 7,217 electors.

LANSLIDE FOR CARLIN

Stage is Set for Tuesday's Primary And Indications Are Carlin Will Sweep Every Country in This District.

With but two more days intervening before the primary which will be held Tuesday for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress from this Eighth Congressonal district for Congress the interest in the campaign continues to increase. The vote here is practically all for Representative C. C. Carlin. His record in Congress not only insures him the almost unanimous vote in this city but also he will carry practically every county comprising the Eighth District, and everything points to a landslide for Carlin.

Reports received here by friends of Representative Carlin from every county in the district indicate that his strength is becoming more and more pronounced as the campaign continues.

Throughout the campaign Representative Carlin has not resorted to "mud slinging" and this has resulted in greatly strengthening his candidacy.

Backed up by the farmers, practically every labor organization and every merchant in this district Representative Carlin cannot fail to receive a most substantial majority over his opponents.

Every person having a vote here should not fail to go to the polls next Tuesday and vote for Representative Carlin who has proved loyal to country, party and people.

The polls will open Tuesday morning at 6:13 a. m., and close at 8:15 p. m.

TRANSFERS FOR TWO PIECES OF REALTY RECORDED.

Mrs. Margaret Peck has sold to Max Fagelson the store building and dwelling at the northwest corner of Wolfe and Columbus streets.

T. S. Williams has sold to Marian W. Bomar three lots in the square bounded by Oronoco, Payne, Princess and Fayette streets. Deeds of transfer were placed on record today in the office of the clerk of court.

Vote For

CARLIN

on

Tuesday, August 6

It Is Important

to your

City, State

and

Country

Polls Open.....6:13 a. m.

Polls Close.....8:15 p. m.

Proclamation By The Mayor.

It has been brought to my attention that a number of laborers in the City of Alexandria, whose services are greatly needed by their employers, are working on half-time or less for no apparent reason.

The products of many of the plants of this city are urgently needed for uses having an important bearing on the war, and it is imperative that every laborer in this city devote his entire time to his work in order that our plants may be run to approximately their full capacity.

The laborer who without good cause or excuse deserts his post of duty in this hour of need will be treated as a vagrant and will be given an opportunity of working on the City Chain Gang for a period of thirty days.

THOMAS A. FISHER,
Mayor.

A PATRIOTIC DUTY

Persons Should Use Rooms For Rent With War Camp Community Service at Enlisted Men's Club. Relatives Enlisted Men Want Rooms.

One of the activities of the Alexandria War Camp Community Service that is proving of much value both to the man of the service and to his women relatives is the furnishing of rooming accommodations. Frequently, the mother of a man stationed at the camp arrives in town at night, and the proposition of securng a room is often and almost impossble task.

In order to assist these women, the War Camp Community Service attempts to keep a list of rooms which may be secured by applying at the office of the Enlisted Men's Club, in the Elk's Home.

The people of Alexandria are urged to phone in any rooms that they may have for rent. By so doing, they will not only be assisting themselves, but will be doing a real patriotic service for the men and their reatives.

Persons having rooms to rent should state their name, address, number that room can accommodate, and charge by the night or by the week. Persons wishing to telephone should call 391.

PRINTERS FOR CARLIN

Members of Craft Allied With International Steel and Copper Plate Printers' Union Adopt Laudatory Resolutions—"True Friend of Organied Labor."

At a recent meeting of the International Steel and Copper Plate Printers' Union of North America, held in Washington, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the International Steel and Copper Plate Printers of North America in convention assembled this 20th day of July, 1918, in Washington, D. C., records its appreciation of the Honorable Charles Creighton Carlin, Representative in Congress for the Eghth Congressional District of Virginia, and

Whereas, it is with genuine satisfaction we declare, that throughout his eight years in Congress, Mr. Charles Creighton Carlin's devotion to the best interests of our craft has been constant and his services most valuable, and because of his readiness to at all tmes, to champion our cause we recognize in him a true friend of organized abor who understands the sympathies and aspirations of the masses, therefore be it,

Resolved, That, we at this time convey to the Honorable Charles Creighton Carlin, of Virginia, our best wishes and sincere desire for his future successes, and be it resolved,

That, this resolution be spread upon our minutes and a copy of same sent to the said Hon. Charles Creighton Carlin, of Virginia.

Joseph S. Leach, International President.

James E. Goodyear, International Secretary.

CARDINALS WILL CROSS BATS WITH COAST ARTILLERY

An excellent game of baseball is promised the fans when the crack United States Coast Artillery Corps team comes to this city tomorrow to tackle the Cardinal Athletic Club nine on the Alexandria High School grounds at 3 o'clock. The Cardinals have been recently strengthened and will make the soldier boys go the limit to beat them.

The strong Clarendon team and the Cardinals have agreed to play a three-game series. The first game will be played Sunday, August 18 and each following Sunday thereafter.

STRIKE FOR FREE FOOD.

Indian Head Officials Discontinue Addition to Men's Wages.

Fifteen hundred men are on a strkie at Indian Head because of the discontinuance of free board as an addition to their wages. The men have completely tied up the enlargement plant, which includes the erection of many new buildings. Those who have quit work include bricklayers, plumbers and carpenters.

An official of the Indian Head proving grounds said Thursday that it had been customary to give the men employed all meals in addition to their pay, but the government had decided to discontinue this arrangement.

The men affected are new employes who reported for work after the ruling had gone into effect, and who, when learning of the change, immediately went out on strike. The officials, to relieve the situation yielded to the men's demands and supplied them with meals.

Thursday, however, the matter was again taken up, and the meals were stopped. The men again went on strike.

HUNS LOSE SOISSONS

Enemy, Now Forced to Retreat Nine Miles, May be Cut off, is Allied Hope.

Paris, Aug. 3. (10:45 a. m.)—The German retreat is gaining momentum as the allies push forward on the whole forty-five mile front from west of Soissons to Rheims. In the center American troops are driving toward the Aisne up the D'Orillon valley and are within six mles of the important enemy base of Fismes.

East of Soissons, many Germans are retreating northward along the Launoy-Aux-Croutes road. French patrols have rached the Aisne, near Venizel. The enemy seems to have ben surprised at Soissons, as they had no time to set fire to the city.

Cavalry and tanks are keeping on the heels of the fleeing enemy, inflicting heavy losses.

The evolution of the battle which is leading to victory happened all within a few hours, the capture of the Hartennes table land starting the retreat.

Paris, Aug. 3. (12 noon).—Allied forces are now pushing forward on both flanks of the Soissons-Rheims salient, the French war office communique indicated today.

With the American Armies in France, Aug. 3 (7:10 a. m.)—The Americans continue to advance all along the center of the Soissons-Rheims salient

Cohan and other towns and villages in that region are now in our hands.

Heavily destructive artillery fire is combing the roads over which the Germans are retiring. The Boches continue to blow up ammunition dumps and burn material as they retreat.

Paris, Aug. 3.—Soissons, the western pivot of the crown prince's Aisne front, was captured by the allies late yesterday. With the fall of this big base the entire German right between the Aisne and the Ourcq collapses. Ville-en-Tardenois, pivot of the German east flank southwest of Rheims, also has been taken.

Capture of both cites was announced by the war office in its night communique.

The Germans now must fall back to Vailly, nine miles northeast of Soissons. The retreat of all German forces below the Aisne may, however, be cut off if the allies break through north of that river east of Soissons.

Together with the capture of the two important cities, the war office announces that the German right wing has crumpled up.

With the Americans on the Ourcq Aug. 3.—The Americans continue to advance toward the Vesle. French cavalry is in contact with the enemy. The Germans pulled out "cleanly" for a distance of six kilometers (nearly four miles). There was no artillery firing as the Amercans followed the foe.

All the lines radating from Soissons are either now cut or under fire and so are the bridges across the Aisne.

Possession of the mountain of Paris, southwest of Soissons, which the French stormed on the morning of July 18, when the Americans passed beyond Ploisy, gave the French the key to Soissons, since from that height the allied long range guns continually bombarded the city and its surroundings while the airplanes did equally deady work at night.

The Germans still remaining in the salient must withdraw by way of the Rheims end of the salient, which lacks means of communication.

Moreover the capture of Soissons ends all chances of the Germans making a stand on the Vesle.

The entire line of the crown prince resting on the Aisne is imperilled by yesterday's victorious advance.

Long Entirely Too Short.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 3.—"Well, the long and short of it is that you are too short to remain long in the Marines," said the U. S Marine recruiting sergant at the local recruiting station to Warren Tremont Long, of this city, when he attempted to enlist in the Marine Corps.

Long passed an excellent physical examination except that he was too short.

Long was long on patriotism and ambition and wished to go even if it should happen to be for a short while.

"That's the way it goes," he said. "Some little fellow like me who is crazy to go can't make it and some big husky who ought to break his neck to go, has to be almost dragged up to get him to sign up."

PLAN FOR WAR LABOR

War Work Must Have Men at Any Cost—Employers' Aid Essential Rules Announced by Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber of Commerce today announces the plan for War Labor by United States Service:

The new labor-supplying program of the Employment Service will be conducted in accordance with the following four cardinal principles:

1. War work must have men at any cost.
2. Withdrawals of workers from nonessential industries for war industries will be equalized.
3. The volunteer principle will be followed in dealing with the individual worker.
4. Only fit men will be sent to war industries.

Employers' Aid Essential.

While emphasizing that the situation is such that there can be no temporizing and that labor must be found for war industries at all costs, the Department of Labor and its War Labor Policies Board place equal emphasis upon the necessity for practical and tangible assistance from individual employers and employees and their organizations. Their advice and co-operation are deemed absolutely essential to the success of the labor mobilizing and stabilizing program.

As one means of obtaining this co-operation, community boards, with equal representation of employers and wage earners, will be formed in all industrial centers to work with the representatives of the Employment Service and its Public Service Reserve. Since labor priorities are fundamentally best determined locally, these community boards will be asked to play an important part in determining how withdrawals of workers for essential production will be made. Employment managers especially will be urged to work in conjunction with the local offices of the Employment Service and the agents of the Reserve.

The recruiting of unskilled workers will be done along the following general lines:

Common Labor Recruiting Plan.

After August 1st, the Employment Service will have exclusive control over finding and placng common labor in war industries. Nonessential manufacturers, farmers, and war manufacturers with less than 100 workers and the transportation industry for the time being are not included in the prohibition against private recruiting, although their activities will be regulated by the Employment Service, whose rules shortly will be announced. A number of the railroads, however, notably those in the Western territory, already have agreed to get their labor exclusively through the service and their agencies have been taken over by the Federal service.

While no prohibition against private recruiting of skilled workers is in immediate projection, there will be regulations, however, which will check the widespread advertising that has wrought such havoc in the labor market and increased turnover and will ban labor "stealing" and "poaching."

Although the common labor recruiting prohibition does not for the moment include the nonessential industries, recruiting by the nonessentials has had but little effect on the general situation. However, no nonessential will be permitted to interfere with any war industry or the labor market.

Wallace Lindsey has been recommended by the Chamber of Commerce to represent the employers on the local Community Labor Board.

NO EVENING SERVICES AT M. E. CHURCH SOUTH THIS MONTH

During the month of August the evening services at the M. E. Church South will be omitted. Rev. Dr. E. V. Regster, pastor, will preach tomorrow morning.

The preachers who will fill the pulpit in that church during the month at the Sunday morning services are as follows: August 11, Rev. Dr. E. O. Watson; August 18, Rev. W. H. Marsh, and August 25, Rev. Dr. B. W. Bond, presiding elder of the Alexandria district of that church.

The Rev. Dr. Watson is the secretary of the War Work Committee of the M. E. Church South and has offices in the Washington Post building, but will locate here with his family at 404 North Alfred street.

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VIRGINIA POLITICS.

The near approach of the date set by law for the Congressional primary in this State finds party politics conspicuous by their absence. For the first tme in the history of Virginia a virtual truce has been declared between the leading parties as such. In default of an opponent Senator Martin has been already declared the nominee of the democrats as his own successor and it is improbable that he will have any opponent for re-election. The leaders of the republican organization have expressed themselves against putting up contestants for seats in the House in the districts which are normally democratic, and in the remaining district, the Ninth, the democrats have decided to give a clear field to the republican incumbent, Mr. Slemp, in consideration of the fact that he has been a consistent supporter of the war measures of the Government. In seven of the districts nominations will go without contests in their own party to the democratic representatives seeking re-election. In the First district there is a vacancy caused by the death of Hon. W. A. Jones and there several aspirants are competing for the nomination, between whom there is no issue on public questions, all being in full accord with the policies of the Administration.

The remaining district, the Eighth, is the only one in which personal ambition has over-ridden the concensus of opinion throughout the country that members of the present Congress who have proved loyal to the nation in its time of need, and who desire another term, should not be opposed. In this case, however, Mr. Carlin, the sitting member, who has served capably for a number of years and holds important committee assignments, has an opponent in the person of Mr. Elijah White, a gentleman wholly without experience in public life, who seems to base his claim to displace and replace a faithful and efficient representative entirely on the ground that in addition to his other pursuits as banker, promoter, speculator, he owns and cultivates some land in Virginia (as also does Mr. Carlin) and is therefore peculiarly needed in Congress at this juncture to voice the rights and needs of the farmers. Of the momentous affairs now absorbing the attention of every branch of the Government, affairs vitally affecting the interest of every class of the people, he has no practical knowledge. As a novice in the House he would have no part in shaping legislation and no influence in securing its adoption. He has none of the gifts or acquirements which in rare instances enable a new member to become anything more than a looker on and a learner during his first term. Why should the desire of an individual to assume an untried role be gratifed at the cost of forfeiting to the entire constituency of the Eighth distrct, the farmers included, the services of a representative familiar with every phase of hs duty and fairly chargeable with no shortcoming in the discharge of any? It is a matter of concern not alone to the constituency referred to but to all the people of Virginia, that no untrained element should be introduced to the State's delegation in Congress. It is thoroughly united in sentiment and purpose on the subjects which at this juncture are of overshadowing importance to the entire country. It occupies, as composed, a position of great weight in the legislative body and it has done perfect team work in developing the natural relation which Virginia bears to the country's military and naval operations. In this combination Mr. Cerlin has proved himself an efficient factor. To supplant him wth an untried man would be a blunder as well as a violaton of justice towards an official who has been weighed in the balance and not found wanting. Besides this consideration, it is the natural desire of President Wilson not to be deprived of the co-operation of members of Congress who have demonstrated fervent loyalty to the country and the government, and possess the experience which multiples the effectiveness of their support.—Virginian-Pilot and the Norfolk Landmark, Wednesday, July 31, 1918.

COME, LET US REASON TOGETHER.

We are told by travelers who visit the Holy Land that certain descendants of Abraham stand outside the city of Jerusalem moaning and lamenting while civilized nations are rejoicing in One who was of the tribe of Judah whom the world delights to honor. As it was in the days of Herod the Great, representatives of the nation from which sprang this great Being will not have this man to rule over them.

The truth uttered centuries ago, "a man's foes are they of his own household," has ever been apparent. While the great mass of suffragans in the Eighth Congressional District demands the re-election of Hon. Charles C. Carlin, a little band in Alexandria are still obdurate. They are not open to reason; hence, like Ephraim, they must be left to their idols.

We all know Charley Carlin. He was born and reared among us. There is no need to recapitulate his history. We all know he was one of five children left fatherless forty-seven years ago by the death of William H. Carlin, a printer by trade, but who in his later years was conductor on the old Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad. By the way, he had charge of the first passenger train which entered Leesburg in 1860. He was a Confederate soldier during the civil war. His death was the result of an accident while in the discharge of his duty.

We have often questioned the correctness of the saying, "He was a self-man man," so often uttered in regard to men who have climbed the steep ascent of fame. Benjamin Franklin, Horace Greeley, Simon Cameron and others who reached the top rungs of the ladder, were born great. They merely accelerated the work of nature by toil and studiousness. The same may be said of Charley Carlin—his genius is inborn and its evolution inevitable.

After Don Cameron had succeeded his father as United States Senator from Pennsylvania, a friend of the family later on approached old Simon Cameron for the purpose of congratulating him for possessing a son who had inherited his genius. The old man listened and when his friend had ceased speaking he observed: "Don lacks one essential. He has never experienced early poverty."

While a small boy Charley Carlin began the battle of life—first as an errand boy in a store, at which time he was studying law. Upon arriving at the portals of manhood he was appointed to the position of Assistant City Treasurer, later Commissioner of Accounts by the late Judge Charles E. Stuart; like all good citizens he filled one complimentary position—Aderman from the Third ward, was appointed postmaster of this city by Grover Cleveland after the latter had entered upon his second term, and was later elected to fill the unexpired term of the late John F. Rixey, Congressman from this distrct, a position he now holds and which will again be tendered him by an appreciative constituency.

It is unnecessary for us to say that Mr. Carlin has been faithful in every trust. He was faithful in small things and his friends entrusted him with far greater responsibilities. While often over-worked by official duties, he has always been found at his post ready to aid any one from his district who might be in need of his serviees.

We insist that it is the duty of every democrat to aid in rolling up as large a majority as possible for Mr. Carlin. He is justly appreciated in Congress by representatives of the entire country, and his home city—old Alexandria, especially at this time—should paint the town red in their enthusiasm for one of their own who has brought undreamed of prosperity to our midst.

The words used in our headline should receive attention. In all seriousness, come, let us reason together and let all cast their votes next Tuesday for Hon. Charles C. Carlin to succeed himself.

FOCH'S SIGNIFICANT WORD.

A few months ago, when Germany was driving its Juggernaut car through northern France, when place after place was falling as tenpins before the fierce invaders the allies had reason for anxiety. On several occasions General Foch was approached by troubled ones who asked questions in their nervousness. The French hero answerd with a monosyllable—"Wait."—only this and nothing more.

There is an old saying that all things ocme to those who wait After having expended their strength in costly drives, the Huns find themselves upon the defensive with an avenging army of French, English, Americans, Portuguese and others of the brave allies so close upon their heels that town after town is being evacuated as the armies of the Crown Prince rush from place to place for safety.

There is reason to believe that the precipitate retreat of the invaders will result in a rout.

Germany's sun is about to set. With all her vaunted military pride and the blasphemous assumption that God is with the spoilers of civilization, their Joshua has not appeared and the sun will not stand still in their in[illegible]s.

MAY OMIT ANNUAL VISIT.

Germany will be responsible for the disappearance of Santa Claus this year and for the years to come when there is war. This is the statement of the national counsel of defense.

As a contemporary suggests, this is bad news, most unwelcome news, to the many thousands of little children in this country. It has been a realization to the children of France, England, Belgium, Serbia, Italy for the last four years. War precipitated by Germany has been responsible for this condition, and in that latter country Santa Claus has not paid as many visits as usual.

Due to the war, when great amounts of work must be done for the soldiers and for the government, it is found impossible for the railroads, steamboats and electric lines and airplanes to get out of the way for the approach of Old Nick and his reindeer.

The suggestion is that the government needs the money for the prosecution of the war, and the sale of war stamps—in themselves a most acceptable and patriotic gift—is to be urged in every direction. The purchase of war bonds will be one way in which Christmas gifts with a meaning can be had.

NEXT FISHING SEASON.

An officer of the Norfolk and Washington steamer Southland told a representative of the Gazette a day or two ago that the Potomac river for some distance down is alive with young shad and herring. The steamers for Norfolk leave earlier now than heretofore, and much of the river can be viewed by daylight. Dimunitive shad and herring, it is said, are to be seen everywhere, and there is reason to believe that next spring's fishery will be one of the most successful ever experienced hereabouts.

The reason given for such auspicious conditions is the fact that the number of fishermen in the river and bay has been largely curtailed of late. Labor is scarce, and men who heretofore earned their livelihood as fishermen have found more lucrative employment in other capacities.

During our civil war, when similar conditions prevailed, there were unusually large runs of fish during the spring months. Upon one occasion a seine was laid out in Hunting Creek which it was practically impossible to land by reason of the great numbers of the finny tribe which had been enclosed.

AN APPEAL TO SUFFRAGANS.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette.

While not gven to rushing into print, I respectively ask my old friend, the Alexandria Gazette, to print the few words I have to say in regard to the election next Tuesday. While the great mass of voters throughout the Eighth Congressonal District have long since made up their minds to vote for Hon. Charles C. Carlin to succeed himself, I know that certain Alexandrians, not enough, however, to make any perceptible dent in the majority column, announce their preference for E. B. White, who is aspiring for Mr. Carlin's position.

I do not desire to enter into any argument, but I would respectfully insist that all Alexandrians should be quick to come to the support of one who has grown up among us, and, like Abraham Lincoln, James A. Garfield, and others who have fought their way through a hostile world, has studied in his spare time and qualified himself for the most important position in his district. While his worth is admitted by the great mass, like Andrew Johnson and others, his foes, although few, are among those of his own household. We prefer to believe that some are amenable to reason, and ere sunrise Tuesday morning will have revised their opinion.

I do not believe in scolding any one while imploring him to revise his opinion, but, in all seriousness, let Alexandria roll up as large a majority as possible for one who has tried and not found wanting.

It is unnecessary for me who has been closely identified with Mr. Carlin from his youth and who has had ample opportunity to study him, to recount his usefulness. We all besiege him when we desire his services and none are turned away empty. He wants and should receive the acknowledgment due hm.

I hope every voter in the district will do his duty Tuesday, especially those in old Alexandria.

Respectfully, M. B. Harlow.

SPECIAL NOTICES

There will be a called communication of Alexandria Washington Lodge 22, A. F. and A. M., Monday evening, August 5, at 8 o'clock. All Master Masons will be welcomed.

By order of the worshipful master,
A. G. Uhler,
184-2t Secretary.

Notice.

James H. Mansfield, collector for the Royal Arcanum, may now be found at 108 North Pitt street, Phone 322 W. 183-1t.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the McLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of directors, the amendment of its by-laws and other business, will be held at No. 107 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., on August 12, 1918 at 10 o'clock, A. M.

A. M. McLachlen, President
E. H. McLachlen, Acting Sec.
159-30t.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Wednesday, July 31, Knight Templar Masonic Emblem and Fob. Reward if returned to Graham & Ogden, 530 King street. 181-3t

LOST—Left Wednesday a. m. at Royal street station, a sterling silver-handle silk umbrella; finder return to 1018 Duke street and receive a reward. 182-2t

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR SALE—A six-room brick house, double porch, front and back. All city conveniences Partly furnished with new furniture and enough coal for winter; in good neighborhood. Call at 1407 King street 182-6t.

FOR SALE—Two Ford truck bodies; one new, other in good condition. Apply 1312 King street. 182-2t.

FOR SALE—A good grazing and dairy farm with 40 acres—35 in cultivation; fine water supply; horse stable with 8 box stalls; cow stable with concrete floor, for 30 cows; fine young orchard of over 100 fruit trees; six miles south of Alexandria and one-half mile from Franconia station, Fairfax County, Va. Apply to Laurence Stabler, 415 Prince street, Alexandria, Va. 179-7t

FOR SALE—Finely located Cigar, Confectionery and News Stand; cheap rent; ill health of owner only reason for selling. Inquire of John D. Normoyle, cor. King and Royal streets. Phone 504. 179-6t

WANTED.

WANTED—Work as bookkeeper or set of accounts after supper. Address R. E. W., Gazette Office. 184-2t

WANTED—Five white women to clean cars; steady work. Apply Mr. Shum, W. Va., Rwy. Co. Four-Mile Run, Va 183-5t

WANTED—Men in car shops; good wages; steady work. Apply Mr. Shum, W. Va., Ry Co., Four-Mile Run, Va. 183-12t

WANTED—Room and board in private family; rates must be reasonable. E. C. Sampson, Phone 238. 182-3t

BOYS WANTED—We need the services of a number of Grammar School boys for permanent part-time work. The boys we select will be given an opportunity to earn, learn and advance. Apply to S. F. Dyson & Bro., 420 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

WANTED—Two young ladies in office to room and board in private family; best location, phone, moderate price. Call this office. 181-3t.

WANTED—Check Clerk at Potomac Transfer, Potomac yards, Alexandria county, Va.; good salaries. Apply to agent. 181-12t

WANTED—Counterman; good wages to right person. Experience not necessary; also short order cook; pay $18 per week. Apply Monticello Cafe. 176-tf

WANTED—Woman for general housework. Room, board and good wages. Mrs. H. B. Caton, North Braddock. 180-3t.

WANTED—Fireman; eight hours; 45 cents an hour; only first-class men nleed apply. Alexandria County Lighting Co, Plant, foot Wolfe st. 179-6t

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Models which we cannot replace and are therefore closing out.

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Front and back lace models made of fine coutille. Sizes 19 to 30. Regular $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00 values at $2.95.

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At 59c Each
Bandeaux and Brassieres, Model Make, in white or flesh color. At 59c.
Third Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

Petticoats
Chiffon Taffeta Petticoats at $5.00 to $3.95.
Fancy Striped and solid colored Silk Petticoats at $9.75 to $7.50.

Toilets
Wash Cloths, 10c.
Lux, box, 11c.
Williams' Talc, 2 for 25c.
Guaranteed Syringes, No. 2, with 3 pipes, 59c.
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Insure the home NOW—don't delay another day. This is the season in which most fires occur. Insuring through this agency means ABSOLUTE PROTECTION at regular rates.
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415 Prince Street. Alexandria, Va.

Australia has contributed ten per cent of her population for the Allied firing line. With a population of barely 5,000,000, more than 426,000 have enlisted. Of these 48,780 have been killed and more than 133,000 wounded. The total cost to Australia in money has been more than a billion dollars.

Bernard M. Carter, son of the late Bernard Carter, the distinguished Baltimore lawyer, died yesterday at St. David's, Pa., at the home of his sister, Mrs. Bernard Law, with whom

The Japanese government has virtually approved the suggestions made by the United States for joint action by the allies in Siberia. Technically a final agreement has not yet been reached and the discussion between the allied powers is still being carried on, but a point has been reached in the exchange of views, at which it is safe to assume that it is ony a matter of a short time until the first moves will be made to carry out the international project.

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CHRIST CHURCH YARD
Sunday Afternoons at 5 o'clock
Good Music—Hymns That All Know and Love.
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All Invited—All Welcome.
Men in Uniform—Our New Citizens—Visitors—Old Resident.
Seats for All.—Come and Bring Your Friends
In Case of Rain, Services Will be Held in the Church.
OTHER SERVICES—Men's Bible Class, in church at 9:30, led by Mr. Hall.
Sunday Schol, in Parish Hall, at 9:30; lesson by Mr. E. S. Leadbeater. Subject—"The Christian Year."
Morning Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion at 11 o'clock by Mr. Hall.
Organ Recital, in the church at 4:30.

NOTICE
We are pleased to announce that we are now located at 110 South Pitt Street, where we will give all orders prompt attention.
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You are Cordially Invited to Purchase Your Allotment of
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911 Duke Street, improved by 8 room frame house, with modern bath, range, cellar, etc. Also 2 lots 17x88 to the West thereof, (the adjoining lot, 20x88 can also be purchased at a reasonable price.)
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Your Winter's Coal Supply
On account of rulings of the U. S. Fuel Administration, it seems doubtful if Virginia will receive sufficient anthracite coal to supply the demands. If present rulings are maintained, this shortage will be very great in Alexandria and we earnestly advise our customers to put in a reasonable amount of bituminous coal as a safeguard against a coal shortage next winter.
We are now securing some very fine bituminous coal which we believe will work in all characters of coal burners but the latrobe stoves.
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For wear now or later, and many suitable for fall and winter; made of these materials—

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Better Cooking by Electricity

Women have long known that electric cooking is cleaner, that it banishes all the dust and ashes of coal and wood and soot and fumes of gas. They have known that it makes the kitchen cooler; the air purer; that is the most convenient way to cook. Now they have the word of the women who stand for the most scientific cooking methods known, that electric cooking produces better results than any other means.

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PROPOSALS.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received at the department until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, August 14, 1918, and then opened, for furnishing and laying sewer pipe, including manholes, complete, at St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D. C., in accordance with plans and specifications, copies of which may be obtained from the chief clerk of the department. Proposals must be marked, "Proposals for furnishing and laying sewer pipe at St. Elizabeths Hospital," and be addressed to the Secretary of the Interior.

S. G. Hopkins,
Assistant Secretary.

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AUCTION SALES.

Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree entered in the Corporation Court on the 10th day of July, 1918, in the partition suit therein pending wherein Marion B. Leary et vir, are complainants, and Mary Kirkpatrick and others are defendants, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, in the city of Alexandria, on Fairfax street, in front of the Courthouse, on Wednesday, August 7, 1918, at 11 o'clock a. m. all that lot of ground improved by a brick store and warehouse, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING on the north side of King rsteet at the east line of a lot formerly conveyed by Allison and wife to Patton and Finely, supposed to be 60 feet east of Water street (now Lee street) and running thence east on King street 30 feet, more or less, thence north parallel with Water street (now Lee street) 81 feet to an alley 30 feet wide; thence west on said alley parallel to King street 30 feet more or less, thence south parallel witha water street (now Lee street) in a straight line to the beginning.

Terms of sale one-fourth cash and balance in six, twelve and eighteen months or all cash as the option of the purchaser.

Conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

J. K. M. Norton,
Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that J. K. M. Norton, commissioner of sale has given the bond for surety as required by decree appointing him commissioner of sale at the July term, 1918.

Nevel S. Greenaway, Clerk.
By Cora Duffey, D. C.

176-tf

Spy Who Trapped Himself.

Telling how a suspected German wireless operator was discovered by a drug clerk, Ralph Henry Barbour, in Boys' Life for August, says in his serial, "For the Freedom of the Seas."

"The fellow who did the telegraphing they picked up in Canada. Seems the Secret Service has been after this Haegal guy for months but couldn't find him. They knew he was in the country, though, and suspected he'd be mixed up in some wireless stunt. A couple of days ago the Canadian—if that's what he is—goes into a drugstore in New Bedford and gets a prescription filled. He had to wait a while for it, you see, and while he was waiting he leans on the counter and does like this, see, like, he was working a telegraph key. Well, the drug fellow was one of these wireless fiends before the Government put 'em out of business, and he listened to what the guy was tapping out. First he says, 'Hurry up, hurry up, hurry up!' like that, over and over. Then he says a lot of figures that don't mean anything to the drug fellow, and after that some more nonsense. And he gets his medicine and goes out.

"But the drug fellow gets to thinking about him. He's seen the guy around for about a month and he don't ever seem to have anything to do. So that evening he goes and tells his story to a fellow he knows who's some sort of a United States atorney or something. The attorney hands it along to the Secret Service sleuths who've been snooping around looking for a wireless station somewhere on the Cape, do you see? After that it was easy."

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It deals directly with the cause of ill health.

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BATTLE OF THE RHINE?

American Divisions to Push Forward, is Belief of Military Experts.

What will follow the Foch offensive in the second battle of the Marne?

Present indications point to the beginning by American troops of the battle of the Rhine!

The allies are now definitely pursuing the initiative on the Western front, and there is no indication that they intend to give it over.

In the wake of the Franco-American drive which is pinching the Huns out of the Aisne-Marne salient, the British have started a series of local attacks between the Ancre and the Somme which is keeping the Germans annoyed and resulting in the capture of villages and prisoners.

The next thing in the Foch plan, in the belief of American military observers, will be an offensive by the American divisions which are holding four sectors of the front between Verdun and the Swiss border.

Here lies a great opportunity to make a considerable advance upon German territory and to give German morale, already weakened by the allied advance from the Marne, a crushing blow.

How to Candle Eggs.

If you are going to put away some summer-laid eggs for winter use—both a patriotic and a personal duty—you will need to exercise care to see that only good eggs are put in the water glass or limewater container. One bad egg is likely to destroy several others. By consistently gathering the eggs when they are fresh, most of the danger of storing bad eggs is avoided but, since some eggs are imperfect when they are laid, candling, where it can be done without too much trouble and delay, might well be practiced.

The United States Department of Agriculture has just issued a bulletin "How to Candle Eggs." The text is brief and direct and is illustrated with colored plates showing the way in which an egg should appear before the candle, together with the various ways it should not appear. The bulletin was written by Dr. M. E. Pennington, chief of the Food Research Laboratory, assisted by M. K. Jenkins, bacteriologist, and H .M. P. Betts, artist. It should be of great use, not only to persons putting away eggs for home use but to those who desire to establish or maintain reputations for delivering eggs in perfect condition.

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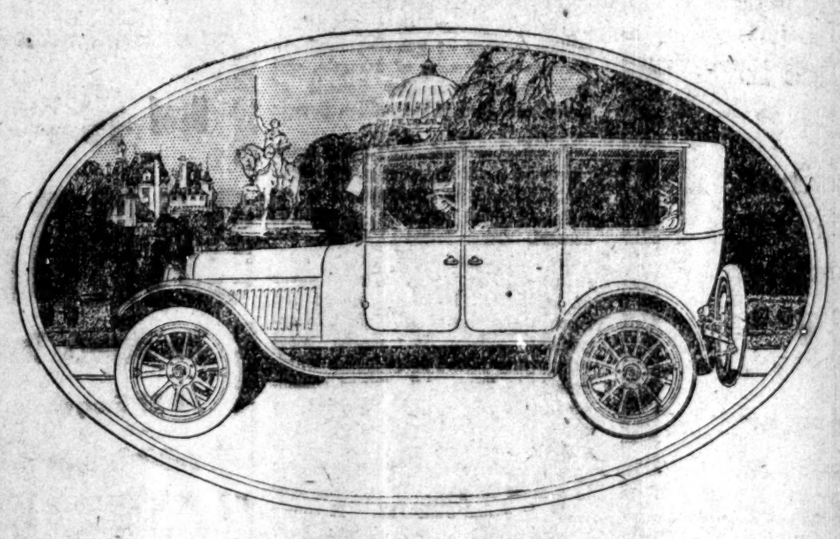

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STORE OPENS 8:30 A. M., CLOSES 5:30 P. M., EXCEPT SATURDAYS

SWAN BROS

Some of the bargains to be found during August Clearance Sale

One Ladies' $35 navy blue Taffeta Silk Coat, size 36; reduced $19.50

Eight Ladies' $25 long Coats, reduced to $14.98

Five dozen Ladies' $1.50 white Tub Dress Skirts, reduced to... $1.69

Four $12.50 Ladies' white Net Dresses, reduced to..... $7.50

Five dozen Children's Gingham Dresses, 6 to 14, $1.15 val.,..98c

Five Boys' $7.50 Suits, sizes 8 to 15, reduced to $3.98

Five dozen Misses' Middy Blouses, all sizes, short sleeves, $1.98 value 98c

$1.25 wide Embroidery Flouncing, reduced to, yard..... 69c

$1 tan Silk Pongee, reduced to, yard 79c

$4.98 Ladies' silk Parasols, reduced to $2.98

$2.00 Fancy Foulard Silk, reduced to, yard $1.25

2.50 Fancy Dress Silk, reduced to, yard, ... $1.50

FOR SALE

KING STREET PROPERTY, 30 FOOT FRONTAGE, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND COLUMBUS STREETS.

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Why use ordinary cough remedies, when Boschee's German Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-two years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles. It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease helping the patient to regain his health. Sold by Leadbeater Drug Corporation.

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Richmond, Monday, August 5

Elsie Ferguson

In

"The Danger Mark"

A picture with a strong moral showing the struggle of a young woman to free herslf of the hereditary taste for liquor.

BRAYS PICTOGRAPH

RICHMOND TONIGHT

FANNIE WARD

In

"The Yellow Ticket"

SATAN'S PASSPORT!!

SURPRISE, MONDAY, AUGUST 5,

CHARLES RAY

in

"The Son of His Father"

Complete with romance, adventure suspense and a bit of "cussedness"

Also "THE HOUSE OF HATE"

—SURPRISE TONIGHT—

HENRY B. WALTHALL

In

"Humdrum Brown"

U. OF V. STUDENTS SHOW PROGRESS IN MILITARY WORK

Charlottesville, Va., August 3.—President Alderman has been officially informed by the War Department that in the Reserve Officers' Training Corps Camp, Plattsburg Barracks, New York, just closed, there were 79 University of Virginia students of the session 1917-18 enlisted; and that, of thes, 64 men "have shown by their progress in military instruction, their bearing and behavior, that they are worthy of special commendation. They are considered as good material for Reserve Officers after rceiving further training."

Three of the 79, not included in the above 64, won very special commendation.

When it is remembered that the 79 University of Virginia students who attended this Plattsburg Camp were all volunteers, and were not picked as the best of the 384 men enrolled in the University of Virginia R. O. T. C., the winning of special (or very special) commendation by 67 of the 79 would seem to speak well for the work done by the 1917-18 R. O. T. C. of the University of Virginia. Only one of the 79 was discharged, and he was discharged to enter the United States Military Academy to which he had been appointed.

MUST TAKE UP COST WITH R. R. ADMINISTRATION BOARD

Wm. G. McAdoo, director general of railroads of the United States Railroad Administration, has issued the following regulations regarding improvements contemplated by state, county, district or municipality:

First—Wherever street or road construction and other public improvements are contemplated by the authorities in any state, county, district or municipality, for which a portion of the cost in an amount exceeding Five Hundred Dollars ($500- i s to be charged against any railroad under Federal control, the authorities are requsted to take the matter up with the Federal management of the road directly intersted and secure the concurrence of the Railroad Administration in advance.

"Second—In the event this is not done the Director General will reserve the right to decide whether or not he will participate in the payment.

"Third—It is not the attitude of the Director General to oppose construction of this character which is meritorious and essential. The Director General feels, however, that in the present stresses to the essential labor and material supply all work of this kind which can be postponed without injury should not be undertaken, and the railroad should not be expected to particlpate in the payment unless the expenditure is indispensable."

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he had made his home for several years. Mr. Carter, who was 55 years old, had been in failing health, ever since the death of his father several years ago.

BEHEADS HUSBAND.

Georgia Woman's Son Confesses he Was Accessory.

Lafayette, Ga., Aug. 3.—Following the discovery of the mutilated body of Will Cornish, a farmer, in an old well near Estelle mines, 6 miles west of Lafayette yesterday morning, the wife of the dead man was placed under arrest, and confessed at the coroner's inquest that she killed her husband in a fit of jealous rage. The body of Cornish had head and both legs cut off, and with the dismembered portions was tied in a sack and dropped in the well.

Cornish disappeared seven weeks ago. He was known to have had $800 on his person at the time, and it was generally believed that he had been murdered and robbed. It was by chance yesterday that the body was found by a neighbor and immediately recognized. A coroner's jury was empanelled in a few hours.

Neighbors had suspected the wife of knowing something of her missing husband's fate since his disappearance. After being closely questioned she finally admitted that she had chopped her husband's head off with an axe. A son testified that he saw his mother commit the deed while the father was asleep, and that he helped his mother pull the body out of the house. Mrs. Cornish asserted that she was jealous of her husband's attentions to another woman.

It is rumored that a man is implicated in the murder and further sensational developments are expected.

Our Greatest Food Conserver.

In Mother's Magazine for August, Dr. Goudiss pays a remarkable tribute to gelatine.

He states that the use of gelatine in American homes has almost doubled in a year, and is now a million pounds a month.

A million pounds of gelatne makes about 200 million servings. Used as desert it requires little sugar. Each million pounds of gelatine, used to displace other sorts of desserts, will save about ten million pounds of sugar and some 2 1-2 million pounds of flour.

To sweeten fresh fruit or to make preserved fruit requires from three to four times as much sugar as to make an equal quantity of gelatine dessert. Other forms of desserts require both sugar and flour.

But gelatine is also a great saver of left-overs. It makes cooked and fresh vegetables of all kinds into appetizing salads. It makes meat scraps into jellied meat loaves which everybody likes. All things considered, gelatine must be regarded as our greatest food conserver.

A leading gelatine expert now supplies this product ready-prepared in a most delightful form. The new type is called Jiffy-Jell. It comes ready sweetened, so one adds only boiling water to it.

BRITAIN HAILS JULY 4TH.

"Badge of Shame" Now Symbol of Nation's New Ideals.

London, England, Aug. 3.—One of the most stupendous events in history was apparently one of the most [illegible] England's celebration of the American Fourth of July.

England now claims Independence Day as her own. Writing in "The Return of the Mayflower," Dr. Ronald M. Burrows, principal of King's College, London, declares there has never been in history anything like it.

"Independence Day marks for us the end of an inglorious war," he says, "fought in a bad cause. It is the badge of our shame. Yet we claim it as a common heritage. We are proud of it as the symbol of our new ideals.

"The War of Independence was a protest against England's pride, her inability to conceive of federation, her refusal to curtail or modify sovereign power. Since that protest was made effective, we have learned much, and the Dominion parliaments are the result of our progress in the creation of a league

"America is coming to France, but it is coming back to England. It is a stupendous event, this journey back to the motherland of hundreds of thousands of men on British and American convoys, under British and American flags!

"For a generation there has been a gradual reapproachment between our two countries, but no one could have dared to hope that it would find so decisive and dramatic an expression.

"The United States has learned that the romance which ever since its existence had centered around the struggle for independence, is not incompatible with that other romance of common blood and common ideals. It is scrapping the history books which have taught its schools that the Union Jack stands for tyranny."

FATAL ACCIDENTS.

Three Airmen Killed And Motorcylist Dies From Injuries.

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 3.—Lieut. Robinson E. Bidwell, of Red Bluff, Cal., was killed while making a cross-country flight about nine miles south of here yesterday. Lieut. Bidwell's machine caught fire when about 2,000 feet in the air and descended in flames. At about 500 feet the aviator leaped to fall.

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 3.—Corporal F. A. Christenson, of the army aviation school at Rockwell field, North Island, was killed yesterday when his airplane went into a tail spin at a height of 1,500 feet and fell into Coronado Bay.

Wichita Falls, Tex., Aug. 3.—Lieut. W. L. Carson, of Call field here, was killed in a fall from an airplane at Fort Sill, Okla.

At the Grand Theatre Tonight

Roy Stewart

IN

"A Red-Haired Cupid"

A Big Western Story.

Grand Monday

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My doctor told me to take Cardui. I took one bottle, which helped me and after my baby came, I was stronger and better, but the pain in was still there.

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This last Cardui which I took made me much better, in fact, cured me. It has been a number of years, still I have no return of this trouble.

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Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule In Effect June 10, 1918.

For Washington and points north do 3:08, 9:53, 10:03 a. m., 12:13, 12:28; 1:18, 2:58, 3:18, 10:13, 11:33 p. m.

Week days only, 6:20 p. m. Saturdays only 5:05 p. m., and Sundays only 8:18 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 3:35, 7:55 (local) and 9:47, a. m.; 2:27, 2:47, 5:17 (local) 6:17, 8:17, 9:17 p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Quantico at 10:50 a. m daily and 2:53 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:48 p. m. daily for Fredericksburg and intermediate stations.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

WASHINGTON VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO.

In Effect February 23, 1918.

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Leave Alexandria for Washington.

A. M.—*5.00, †5.40, †6.00, *6.10, 6.20, *6.30, 6.40, *6.50, 7.00, *7.10, 7.20, *7.30, *7.35, 7.40, *7.45, *7.50, *7.55, 8.00, *8.05, *8.10, 8.30, *8.30, 8.40, 9.00, 9.30, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00 11.20, 11.40.

P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.30, 1.40, 1.50, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30, 2.40, 2.50, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.30, 11.40. A. M.—12.00.

*Except Sundays and Holidays.

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Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon

A. M.—†5.35, 6.55, 7.55, 9.55, 9.58, 10.35, 11.35.

P. M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.55.

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